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GOV. CRUCE WRITES OF THE CAPITOL SITUATION

To those who are interested in the proposal to move the capital back to Guthrie, the following letter from Gov. Cruce concerning the present status of affairs may be of value:

Oklahoma City, Aug. 9, 1912.
Hon. U. G. Winn, Ada, Okla.

My Dear Mr. Winn:—Your letter of August 5th reached me and I note its contents. I have not seen the circular letter being sent out by the Citizens State Capital Campaign Committee in the interest of Oklahoma City.

I will state to you that the Capitol Building Company of Oklahoma several weeks ago delivered to me a check for \$100,000.00. This money is on deposit in three banks in Oklahoma City to my credit as trustee, and is drawing three per cent interest, and is secured by a deposit with me of Oklahoma State warrants. In addition the company has executed deeds to 640 acres of land. Something near 400 acres of this land is the same land that was accepted by the Oklahoma legislature for capitol building purposes. The other is land that was substituted and which was appraised by the School Land board at a greater value than the land that was eliminated. The only appraisal ever made on this land was an appraisal made while Governor Haskell was governor of the state. He appointed three Oklahoma City people to appraise the land and they fixed a value in it of something like \$1,400,000.00. There has been no appraisal if this land since I have been governor, and I would not undertake to estimate its value.

You understand that this money and the deeds to this land have simply been accepted by me, not as governor, but in my individual capacity, to be held until the legislature convenes and either accepts or rejects the proposition.

If I have not made myself plain in this, if you will call my attention to what is lacking, I would be glad to give you any information I can.

I am your friend,
LEE CRUCE, Governor.

CALL FOR PRECINCT AND COUNTY CONVENTION

I am directed by the state chairman to call mass meetings of the Democrats of Pontotoc county to be held at such hour and place in their respective precincts as the precinct committeemen may direct, on Wednesday, August 21. These mass meetings will elect one delegate for every 25 votes or majority fraction thereof cast in the recent primary for United States Senator (the combined vote of Owen and Haskell). Said delegates will at the court house at Ada on Saturday, August 24, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m. The county convention will choose delegates to the state convention on a basis of one delegate for every 100 votes or a majority fraction, cast for senator at the primary, and transact such other business as may properly come before it.

The state convention will be held at Oklahoma City Wednesday, August 28, at 12 o'clock, and is called for the purpose of ratifying the nominations of the primary, adopting a state platform and transact any other business that may properly come before it.

Note—Every precinct is entitled to at least one delegate to the county convention.

BYRON NORRELL,
County Chairman.

Ada, Okla., Aug. 12, 1912.
(Other county papers please copy.)

THE FRUIT INDUSTRY IN PONTOTOC COUNTY

The shipping of fruit from this section has reached a point where the railroads have found it necessary to concentrate while trains of refrigerator cars at Ada to be ready to handle the business. Peaches are moving at a rapid rate and will continue to do so for some time to come. As evidence of the size of the crop it is only necessary to mention the fact that the Johnson brothers will ship fifteen cars this season as against five last year.

In order to supply the demand of the shippers, the ice factory is running to its full capacity.

REV. JOE LISTER DIES AT SULPHUR

Rev. Joe Lister, who was well known at Ada, died the past week at Sulphur. He had in ill health for many months and was at church one evening during the week and took a part in the service. While sitting in his chair he died suddenly of heart failure. His remains were laid to rest in the Sulphur cemetery. Rev. Mr. Lister was connected with the Anti-Cigarette league of the state and was very active in the work and in that capacity he was known to a large number of school children over the state.

CALL FOR MEETING OF COUNTY COMMITTEE

The newly elected Democratic Central Committee of Pontotoc County is hereby called to meet at the court house at Ada Saturday, August 24, 1912, at 1 p. m. for the purpose of reorganizing and of transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

BYRON NORRELL,
County Chairman.
Ada, Okla., Aug. 12, 1912.
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EARTHQUAKE DOES GREAT DAMAGE IN TURKEY

Constantinople, Aug. 12.—The interruption of telegraphic communication makes it very difficult to obtain accurate details of the disastrous seismic disturbance which occurred Aug. 9 on both sides of the Dardanelles.

No accurate figures of the number of victims can yet be tabulated, though some estimates place the death list at 1,000 and the injured at from 5,000 to 6,000.

In the town of Shary-Koh, which was completely destroyed, 60 people were killed and 150 injured. Fires are reported from many cities in which numerous buildings were destroyed.

Fissures opened to a length of about a mile along the river at Lule-Burgas, 40 miles southeast of Adrianople, and from these apertures hot water, sand, foam and sulphurous vapors were emitted.

Everywhere in the stricken zone there is terrible want and distress. Appeals for doctors and help are constantly being received at the capital and the government is doing its utmost to satisfy them. The hospitals here are crowded with injured people.

The Vail of Adrianople today reported to Constantinople that the loss of life there was small. The quake, however, seriously damaged the public buildings of the city.



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Missouri Valley Tennis.

Kansas City, Aug. 12.—The annual tournament for the lawn tennis championship of the Missouri Valley began on the courts of the Kansas City Athletic club today, and will continue through the greater part of the week. The entry list assures some keen competitions, including as it does Drummond Jones, the new Central States champion, and a number of other tennis experts of high standing.

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TOTHE DEMOCRATS OF PONTOTOC COUNTY:

In the recent contest for the Democratic nomination for the office of county attorney, the Democrats of this county saw fit to select Mr. R. C. Roland for that position. To this decision I yield without a murmur of complaint, or feeling of unkindness or bitterness to any one.

To my friends who so loyally supported me, I shall never cease to feel an immeasurable gratitude. For those who supported my opponents there is no trace of unkind feeling in my heart. The ballot is a sacred privilege and a political power for the honest exercise of which no candidate has the right to criticize or censure any man.

Mr. Roland is no more the nominee of those who supported him than he

is my nominee, and that of every other person who participated in the primary. I shall cheerfully vote for him in November, and not only this, if needed, I shall give him my vigorous, active support from now until that time, and I trust and feel sure that those who followed me to defeat in the contest for the nomination will give him their hearty support, and that as the Democratic nominee he will be elected to the important office to which he aspires to the successful administration of which I pledge him, as a citizen, that aid and support which he should receive from every law-abiding citizen.

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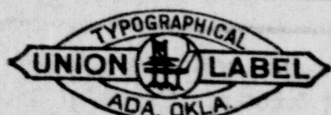
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Funny how burdened the conscience of some people becomes when they are caught in their devilment. Ready to confess then, or more usually they are ready to squeal on the other fellow.

The United States Senate is considering a proposition to pay Lorimer \$35,000 by way of reimbursing him for some of the expense his fight to hold his seat cost him. Very much like handing over a convict the necessary cash to pay his lawyer fee when he is started over the road.

When the newly elected Democratic State Committee meets to organize, it can certainly do no better than to re-

elect Tom Harrill as chairman. Tom has made good and under his direction a victory of overwhelming proportions can be won. He has made good and is entitled to another term.

The News has been trying to find out from A. K. Thornton, the never-failing cotton prophet, how much will be marketed in Ada this fall, but he declines to talk for publication this time. Although he always hits the mark and we are willing to bet on his figures, some of his customers kick and lay the low price of cotton to his predictions.

If, as the Roosevelt bunch claims, eight of the ten Oklahoma Republican electors are for Teddy, and if elected, would vote for him instead of Taft, the News is curious to know how John Beard and others sharing his opinion of Teddy will cast their votes in November. Nothing to it, boys, you will have to take a day off and go squirrel hunting on election day.

In his defeat for the Senate Haskell can blame no one more than himself. His ideas of conducting a campaign as exemplified by the one against Cruce and the late one against Owen, do not appeal very strongly to the people of this section. Mud-slinging as a part of the political game is no longer tolerated by the people as it once was. With his campaign conducted in a dignified manner, Haskell would have run Owen a much closer race, for the people will all admit his excellent traits. He had just mistaken his crowd, that was all.

Citizens of Texas along the Rio Grande are becoming insistent that the U. S. government afford them more protection against the depredations of the Mexicans. If Uncle Sam can't quiet things along the Rio Grande, or the interior, either, for that matter, he should turn Texas loose on the job, and it's dollars to doughnuts that the little rebellion will not last long, nor Mr. Madero's government either, if it does not quiet things down a little better and give Americans more protection.

THE ADA POSTOFFICE.

The business of the postoffice at any place is usually affair index to the general business conditions of the community, its growth and prosperity. Therefore, the fact that the business of the Ada postoffice has almost doubled in the past four years, is a cause for congratulation. Each succeeding year shows a substantial increase over the one preceding, a sure indication that everything is on a solid basis and moving steadily forward. Moreover, the management of the office under Postmaster Winn and his able corps of assistants is a credit to them. Free delivery, which has been in force since March 1, was a long step forward, and now the people in the rural communities should get busy and pull for at least two or three rural routes.

While always optimistic concerning the future of this section, the News is especially gratified with the present outlook. The country already has an ample supply of feed, and it was the lack of that important item that drained the country of its cash last year. Where small grain was planted, an abundant harvest was reaped, and there is still plenty of time for cotton. Although worms did considerable damage earlier in the season, the indications now point to a bountiful yield, and with the reduced acreage and adverse conditions in other parts of the southern states, the price will undoubtedly be higher than in 1911. The first bale will probably arrive within ten days and within three or four weeks cotton wagons be a common sight on the streets.

TEDDYISM.

The new Progressive party is receiving less notice by the press of the country each day. In fact, it seems that Teddy's great display of patriotic enthusiasm is destined to die a natural death before the November election. This all goes to show that reforms, even if they are brought about by the aid and through the influence of conscientious men—which is hardly true in the present case, for Teddy has been given two chances to reform the country and has not done so—must be brought about by evolution and not by revolution. At times an ignorant crowd, becoming suddenly aware of its unjust treatment, rises in a great uproar and crushes its oppressors, but then those gaining authority become just as unjust as the former rulers. Contrary to this mode of procedure is the action of an intelligent voting body. It goes about reforms slowly but surely, and holds every inch of ground gained.

Now, notice the conduct of Roosevelt and Wilson. What could be more unlike? At Chicago Teddy reminds one of a leader of an infuriated French mob, trying to stir up animosity and strife in his own party—the party that had previously given him the highest honor it was able to give. And when he was unable to arouse enough class hatred to bring about his own nomination, he broke away from the party, the machine of which he had used deliberately four years before. Contrast with this action that of Wilson when the Baltimore convention was in session. He was always the silent, conscientious earnest man, seeking the nomination not to get personal power alone, but to be able to bring about the reforms he thinks should be made. When all the other candidates had seemingly conspired to defeat him and, from appearance, all the money forces had been turned against him, not one word of condemnation did he utter. The contrast is too great to escape the notice of the public.

All Do It.

If you boil it down until it is good and thick you will find that 98.7 per cent of human energy is dedicated to the interesting job of people trying to get each other's money or chattels.—Houston Post.

TO PARENTS, GUARDIANS AND THOSE HAVING CUSTODY OR CONTROL OF MINORS:

This is to notify all persons under the age of eighteen years, and those having the care, custody and control of all such persons, that on and after this publication the police officers of the city will rigidly enforce the Curfew ordinance, which prohibits boys under the age of eighteen from idling, or loitering, or remaining on the streets unaccompanied by parents, or guardian, after dark, unless such person under eighteen years of age have written permission from said parent or guardian permitting them on the street after such hour for running errands or other business purposes. The Ada Electric and Gas Co. have again kindly consented to blow their whistle and give warning of the hour. E. S. RATLIFF, Mayor.

Time Table of All Trains Arriving at Ada, Okla.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RY. SOUTH.	
No. 111 Lv. Daily	11:25 A. M.
No. 113 Lc. Daily	10:55 P. M.
NORTH.	
No. 112 Ar. Daily	4:10 P. M.
No. 114 Ar. Daily	4:31 A. M.
OKLAHOMA CENTRAL RAILWAY TRAIN GOING EAST.	
12 Lv. Daily	2:55 P. M.
TRAIN FROM EAST.	
11 Ar. Daily	10:05 A. M.
TRAIN GOING WEST.	
3 Lv. Daily	3:30 P. M.
TRAIN FROM WEST.	
4 Ar. Daily	2:55 P. M.
FRISCO.	
NORTH BOUND.	
508—Eastern Express	10:30 A. M.
510—Metoer	4:05 P. M.
SOUTH BOUND.	
509—Metoer	11:35 A. M.
507—Sherman Exp.	4:53 P. M.

MADE HIM EARN CHERRY PIE

Resourceful and Independent Daughter Gave Old Eph Just the Lesson He Needed.

Eph Wasson did not believe in the sweetness of bread earned by the sweat of the brow—at least, not by the sweat of his own brow. So Mandy, his wife, like many another industrious colored woman, not only took in washing to pay for the groceries, but chopped her own wood, built the fires, and waited on Eph besides.

But there was a change when their daughter Clarissa came home. "Clar," who was an expert cook, had gone to school and become a teacher, and had acquired an independent spirit. She quickly took in the domestic situation.

Now all the spring Eph had watched the cherry tree in his back yard with a watering mouth. If there was one thing that Eph liked more than another it was cherry pie; and Clar was famous for her cherry pie. As good luck would have it, she had come home just as the cherries were ripe. "Clar, honey," said Eph, in a wheedling tone, the morning after her arrival, "won't you cook yo' ole daddy a cherry pie?"

"Very well," said Clar, and Eph shuffled off happily to his usual loafing place.

"Law, honey," said Mandy, when Clar started to make the pie, "dar ain't enough wood. Yo' mammy'll have to get some."

"Not a stick!" ordered Clar, emphatically.

Moreover, there was no sugar, and only a half-cup of flour. However, that did not disturb Clar. She picked a pint of cherries, put them in a pan, and poured over them the pint of flour stirred in water. This mixture she put in the oven and lighted the only two sticks of wood in the house.

At noon Eph came in with eager anticipation, and sitting down at the table, called for his pie. Clar set it before him. He rolled his eyes at the mess in astonishment. It was a queer-looking pie; still Clar was always learning something new. He cut into it and took a big mouthful.

"Why," he exclaimed, "you done forgot to put the sugar in!"

"No," said the daughter. "You forgot to get it."

"Tain't half done!" he grumbled, with the sour, clammy mixture sticking to his teeth.

"It cooked as long as the wood lasted," said Clar, unconcernedly.

"And I ain't had a cherry pie for more'n two years," Eph said, pushing the plate back and shaking his head mournfully.

"When you get something to make it with and something to cook it with, I'll bake you a cherry pie," said Clar.

"Huh!" grumbled Eph, in disgust.

"If I's got to work for a cherry pie, I'd rather have greens."

"All right," said Clar. "The greens are out in the pasture; go eat 'em."

But the next day there were wood and flour and sugar in the house in time for a cherry pie. After missing three regular meals, Eph had concluded that victuals of any sort were worth working for—if he could not get them in any other way.—Youth's Companion.

Artificial Rubber Factory.

A factory to produce artificial rubber has been established at Yumiden, the port at the mouth of the North Sea canal. It is said that the company instituting this factory has succeeded in producing a substance having the qualities of rubber and also certain special advantages over genuine rubber. The process is a secret, but the principal ingredient of the product is said to be fresh sea fish, which are brought to Yumiden in vast quantities by the Dutch fishing fleets. According to report 15 to 16 per cent of natural rubber is added to the fish, and the result is a substance as flexible and elastic as rubber, but much cheaper—about as 1.25 to 8 in price, compared with real rubber. The low price of this product will be caused partly by the by-products which are possible, for it is said that much albumen will be made from the fish and that half of the factory is arranged for the manufacture of guano. It is stated that this artificial rubber can be vulcanized in a short time; that it is benzine proof and can resist the effect of heat. At first sight the substance much resembles real rubber. A slightly fishy smell betrays the chief ingredient, but it is explained that this will be prevented by extracting the fat of the fish.

Predicted 1912 as "Black Year."

Astrology is the pseudo science which essays to foretell future events by studying the position of the stars and ascertaining what their influence may be on human destiny. The Chinese, the Egyptians, the Chaldeans, the Romans, and most other ancient nations were implicit believers in astrology, as were the later Jews, the Arabs, with other Mohammedan races, and the Christians in mediaeval Europe. So we see that the science has a long and honorable record behind it. "Young Moore," the British astrologer, predicted long ago the social and political troubles of recent days. He wrote of 1912 as the "black year," and tells us how it is done. He says: "Genuine astrological horoscopes and forecasts are based exclusively upon exact astronomical and mathematical calculations, and the trained scientific astrologer will calculate the past or future of any person by the same methods that the astronomer employs to calculate the return of a comet, the new and full moon, eclipses, high and low tides, weather changes, and other natural phenomena."

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800 Deaths in June.
Oklahoma City, Aug. 12.—There were no deaths from either scarlet fever or smallpox during June, according to the vital statistics for that month issued by the State Department of Health, although 54 cases of smallpox were reported. Out of 17 cases of diphtheria but one was fatal, and that in Oklahoma county.

Tuberculosis furnished a stiff death rate during June, there being 117 cases, 100 of them fatal. Typhoid, which usually flourishes during the hot months, is down for 16 cases and only 16 deaths. Pneumonia came in for the highest death rate, as is usual, there being 48 cases, 41 of them being fatal.

During June there were 2,535 births and 800 deaths. Of the births 1,309 were males and 1,226 females; 2,458 white and 77 black. Of the deaths 456 were males and 344 females; 707 white and 93 black.

Lodge Meeting Called Off.

The special meeting of the Masonic lodge that was to have been held this evening has been called off until further notice.

J. F. Huddleston, who spent some time here on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. H. J. Brown, returned this morning to his home in Cookeville, Tennessee. He was accompanied by Charley Ray, who will spend about two weeks there.

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P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	
7 00		LEHIGH	5 00		
7 35		Nixon	4 30		
8 05		Tupelo	4 05		
8 40		Stonewall	3 40		
9 00		Frisco	3 27		
9 20		Truax	3 14		
3 30	10 05	ADA	2 55	2 55	
3 50	11 15	Center	1 40	2 34	
4 02	11 35	Vanoss	1 25	2 20	
4 20	12 10		12 55	2 02	
4 40	1 42	STRATFORD	12 25		
5 07	2 05	Byars	12 00	1 42	
5 20	2 18	Rosedale	11 15	1 17	
5 40	2 40	Vincennes	10 50	1 05	
5 50	3 00	PURCELL	10 30	12 50	
6 00	3 15	Gibbons Spur	9 55	12 50	
6 10	3 35	Washington	9 30	12 28	
6 34	4 25	Blanchard	9 17	12 20	
6 52	4 55	Middleberg	8 45	12 00	
7 05	5 25	Tabler	8 10	11 40	
7 15	5 45	Cornville	7 40	11 25	
7 30	6 00	CHICKASHA	7 15	11 15	
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.	

B. M. HAILE, Traffic Manager
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Young Democrats to Meet.

Oklahoma City, Aug. 12.—The convention of the Young Men's Democratic League will be held here Aug. 28, the day of the state convention, when plans are to be formulated for a state-wide campaign in the interest of the national Democratic ticket.

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- FOR RENT—August 1st. Store building now occupied by E. L. Stead, 110 East Main. Apply M. & P. Bank. 98tf
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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Loose leaf ledger's at Holley's. 229tf.

Gov. Byrd made a trip to Mill Creek this morning.

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County Clerk Moore was here from Coalgate yesterday.

Mrs. Park Rives, of Quinton, is visiting R. P. Price and family.

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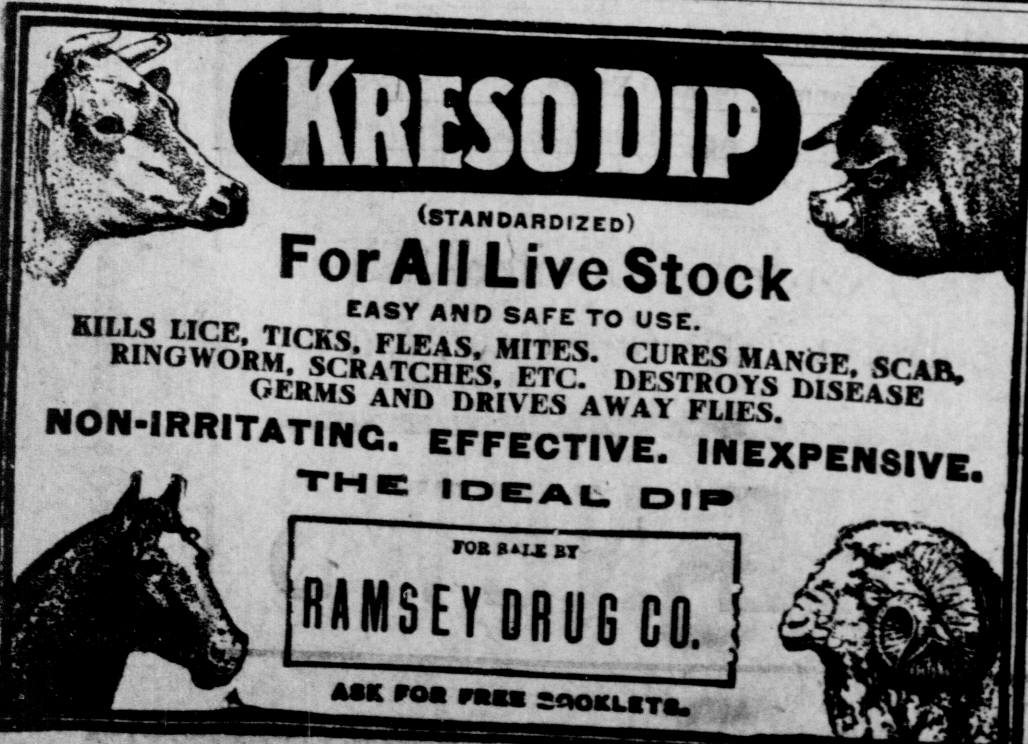
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Bob Lucas is taking training at the Frisco depot now, and Agent McNair says that when he wears the rough corners off he will make a useful man of him.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Etter, who have been visiting the latter's brother, S. M. Shaw, at this place for several days, returned this morning to their home at Silsbee, Texas.

John Thrasher, of the News force, is confined at home today by an incipient attack of fever. However, he is making a strenuous effort to escape an attack.

J. W. Simpkins, who returned yesterday from Chickasha, says that crops around there are fine and that excellent reports come from the region farther west.

The News received a short personal letter from Duke Stone this morning. He is now at Los Angeles, California. Naturally the first question he asked was about the result of the election.

The Lyric has been fortunate in securing Earl & Reed, two of the most popular vaudeville artists on the road. These people recently filled an engagement of ten weeks at Chicago, and have made hits wherever they have appeared. See them tonight. In addition to this attraction a picture program of 3,000 feet of films will be shown.

J. M. McCarty, who for nearly three years has held the position guard at the Granite penitentiary, has had to resign on account of continued bad health. He has returned to Ada and expects to remain here.

TO THE VOTERS OF PONTOTOC COUNTY:

Words are inadequate for me to express my thanks for the honor conferred on me by giving me the Democratic nomination for the office of register of deeds. My majority was greater than I expected. My opponents both having run for this office before were both considered strong candidates; and they being two as good men as are in Pontotoc county, I appreciate more the vote given me. I have not one word of criticism for my opponents or any one who supported them. My opponents were fair toward me and there was never the slightest of feeling between us during the campaign.

To those who so earnestly and faithfully worked for my success, I shall always be under obligations. I shall show my appreciation of your confidence by giving you the very best service in the office that my ability will permit. Now that the primary is over I will be found at my post of duty and will be glad to serve you in any way that I can.

I am now ready to join heart and hand, and work for the success of the Democratic party in November, from lowest office in Pontotoc county to the President of the United States.

Sincerely yours,
D. W. SWAFFAR.

R. L. McGuyre is wearing a pleased look in consequence of a fine corn and hay crop, which guarantees plenty of feed for his bunch of stock this winter. He also has three acres of fine peanuts. Stock of all kind is particularly fond of the peanut hay, and with the success that has attended his experiment along this line, he will plant six or seven acres in peanuts next year.

Geo. W. Held, representing the Barnhardt Type Foundry Co., of Dallas, was in Ada today talking business with the News.

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L. T. Walters.

This evening the DeSota will present the fascinating picture, "In Swift Waters." In this picture Florence Lawrence is the star, this being her first engagement since her return from Europe. "Reconciled" is a Bison 101 picture, and all who are familiar with these know it cannot be excelled. A Mexican bull fight will be the feature picture tomorrow.

Notice to Parties Holding Claims Against the City of Ada:

Notice is hereby given to the parties holding claims against the Fire and Water Fund of the City of Ada, that cash is now available sufficient to pay all warrants issued against said fund prior to June 1st, 1912, and including all numbers unpaid up to 251. Present warrants at this office. JOHN H. JONES, Commissioner of Accounting and Com. of Acctg. & Finance. 110-2t

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For real interest and one with a great lesson, "A Nation's Peril," the picture that will be presented at the Majestic this evening, surpasses almost anything ever attempted by the moving picture makers. It gives an idea of the dangers to which the nation is exposed by foreign spies, and in the course of the story there is a grand military ball. The climax of the whole picture, however, is the blowing up of a torpedo boat by a submarine mine. Thousands of tons of water and mud are thrown high in the air as the boat is blown up, and one can get a fair idea of the destruction of the Maine. Besides this, the Majestic has secured an engagement from Gale & Gale, who will present refined vaudeville.



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The office of mayor, who is municipal judge, and so charged with seeing that the law is enforced, is situated up-stairs in the City Hall building, in the northwest corner of said building, and so your talk on the street corners will not put the machinery into operation. The city has kindly furnished me with all the necessary complaints, warrants, dockets, and other papers needed to accommodate any person who has complaint to make of any violation of the law, but these papers must be used in order to get the result. Any person who knows of any law violation now going on or which has been going on within the last year will confer a favor on the officers of the city by reporting at once at my office in the city building. This invitation applies to all ex-policemen, enforcement officers, United States marshals, county or precinct officers, or any other officer not specifically mentioned. Any person having knowledge of failure upon the part of any policeman having failed to do his duty will at any time confer a favor on the undersigned by reporting at the mayor's office any such failure. I am officially responsible for these officers, and have an interest in knowing whether or not they are doing their duty as such officers.

In conclusion I desire to say to the people that it is the purpose of this administration of the city affairs, so far as the mayor's duties are concerned, to "hew to the line" in every respect, and if the citizen will assist by doing his duty by assisting and encouraging, there will be no room for complaint in any respect whatsoever. Respectfully,
E. S. RATLIFF, Mayor.

SOME CORN FROM THE VICINITY OF STONEWALL

R. P. Ford left at the News office some samples of corn from near Stonewall that indicate a heavy crop in that section. One stalk of two immense ears are from Mr. Ford's farm, raised by Jim Chapman. He expects to gather 65 to 70 bushels from the field. The other two ears were raised by J. A. Chapman, who has 40 acres that will make fully as much. Mr. Ford says that Mr. Chapman said he made it pay by not planting his corn in the water furrow, as some of his neighbors did, and whose crops are amounting to very little.

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KEZIAH COFFIN

by Joseph C. Lincoln

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(Continued From Saturday)

"Grace! Grace!" screamed Captain Eben. "Grace, girl, look who's come! Look!"

The tall man ran forward. "Hi, Grace!" he cried in a deep, hearty voice. "Is that you? Ain't you got a word for your old messmate?"

The girl stepped out into the rain. "Why! why, Nat!" she cried.

The big man picked her up bodily in his arms and carried her into the house. Captain Eben followed and the door closed.

John Ellery picked his way homeward through the puddles and the pouring rain.

He found Keziah in the sitting room, seated by the table, evidently writing a letter. She looked tired and grave—for her.

"Well!" she exclaimed as he entered. "I guess you're soppin' now, sartn sure. There's a light in your room. Take off your wet things and throw 'em down to me, and I'll dry 'em in the kitchen. Better leave your boots here now and stand that umbrella in the sink. The kettle's on the stove; you'd better have somethin' hot—ginger tea or somethin'. I told you not to go out such a night as this. Where in the world have you been?"

The minister said he would tell her all about it in the morning. Just now he thought he had better go up and take off his wet clothes.

Keziah dipped her pen in the ink and went on with her letter.

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Loans and Discounts	\$141,400.99	\$203,078.69	\$218,592.75
Overdrafts	2,845.50		59.86
Bonds, Securities, etc.	14,043.82	20,517.84	24,643.99
United States Bonds	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,500.00
Bank Building and Fixtures	15,066.70	14,000.00	21,191.94
Other Real Estate	480.75	1,730.75	1,167.50
Cash on Hand and With Other Banks	58,657.69	124,688.24	160,348.22
Total Resources	\$249,935.45	\$381,515.52	\$443,504.26
LIABILITIES			
Capital	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,991.31	11,295.16	16,574.07
Circulation	17,500.00	17,000.00	17,500.00
Bills Payable	25,000.00	None	None
Deposits	142,444.14	293,220.36	349,430.19
Total Liabilities	\$249,935.45	\$381,515.52	\$443,504.26

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"All right. Say, Mr. Ellery, it's none of my business, but I wouldn't say anything about your seein' Grace home. That's none of his business, either, or anybody else's."

The head of the parish committee stalked into the study and the door closed behind him. A rumble of voices in animated conversation succeeded.

Mrs. Coffin went out into the kitchen and resumed her business of making a dried-apple pie.

She was looking down below the door, which opened outward and was swung partly back on its hinges. From under the door projected a boot, a man's boot and one of ample size.

Keziah's cheeks, already red from the heat of the stove, reddened still more. Her lips twitched and her eyes sparkled.

"Hum!" she said. "They say you can tell the Old Scratch by his foot-prints, even if you can't smell the sulphur. Anyhow, you can tell a Hammond by the size of his boots. Come out from behind that door this minute. Ain't you ashamed of yourself?"

The owner of the boot stepped forth from behind the door and seized her by both hands.

"Halloo, Keziah!" he cried joyfully. "My, but it's good to see you."

"Halloo, Nat!" said Keziah heartily. "It's kind of good to see you, too."

The rest of him was in keeping with his boots. He was big and broad-shouldered and bearded. His face, above the beard, was tanned to a deep reddish brown, and the corners of his eyes were marked with dozens of tiny wrinkles. He was dressed in blue cloth and wore a wide-brimmed, soft felt hat. He entered the kitchen and tossed the hat into a corner.

"Well!" he exclaimed. "Why don't you act surprised to see a feller? Here I've been cruisin' from the Horn to Barnegat and back again, and you act as if I'd just dropped in to fetch the cup of molasses I borrowed yesterday. What do you mean by it?"

"Oh, I heard you'd made port."

"Did, hey? That's Trumet, sure pop. You ain't the only one. I sneaked off across lots so's to dodge the gang of neighbors that I knew would be sailin' into our yard, the whole fleet loaded to the gunwale with questions. Wanted to see you first, Keziah."

Mrs. Coffin pulled forward one of the kitchen chairs. He seated himself on it and it groaned under his weight.

"Whew!" he whistled. "Never made to stand rough weather, was it? Well, ain't you glad?"

Keziah looked at him gravely.

"You know I'm glad, Nat," she said. "So? I hoped you would be, but I did want to hear you say it. Now you come to anchor yourself and let's have a talk. I've been countin' on it ever since we set tops'ls off Surinam."

The housekeeper took the other chair.

"I beg your pardon, Keziah," he said. "I'm a dough head, that's a fact. I hadn't forgot about Sol, but I was so glad to be home again and to see dad and Grace and the old town and you that everything else flew out of my mind. Poor Sol! I liked him."

"He liked you, too. No wonder, considerin' what you did to—"

"Belay! Never mind that. Poor chap! Well, he's rid of his sufferin's at last. Tell me about it, if you can without bringin' all the trouble back too plain."

So she told him of her brother's sickness and death, of having to give up the old home, and, finally, of her acceptance of the housekeeper's position. He listened, at first with sympathy and then with suppressed indignation.

"By the jumpin' Moses!" he exclaimed. "And Elkanah was goin' to turn you out of house and home. The mean, pompous old—"

"Hush! hush, he's in there with Mr. Ellery."

"Who? Elkanah?"

"Yes; they're in the study."

"So he's talkin' to the new parson, hey? Bossin' him, too, I'll bet."

"I ain't so sure. Mr. Ellery's young, but he's got a mind of his own."

Captain Hammond chuckled and slapped his knee.

"Ho, ho!" he laughed. "I've been hearin' somethin' about that mind. Went to the chapel last night, I understand, and he and dad had a set-to. Oh, I heard about it! Wish I might have been there."

"How does your father act about it?"

"Bout the way a red-hot stove acts when you spill water on it; every time he thinks of the minister he sizzles. Ho, ho! I do wish I could have been there."

"What does Grace say?"

"Oh, she doesn't say much. I wouldn't wonder if she felt the way I do, though we both keep quiet. I'll tell you, between ourselves and the ship's pump, that I sort of glory in the young chap's spunk."

"Good! So do I. I like him."

Her friend leaned forward.

"Keziah," he said earnestly, "there's no sense in your slavin' yourself to death here. I can think of a good deal pleasanter berth than that. Pleasant for me, anyhow, and I'd do my best to make it pleasant for you. You've only got to say the word and—No? Well, then all I can do is hope through another voyage."

"Please don't, Nat. You know."

"No, I don't know."

"Well, perhaps you don't. But I know. I like you, Nat. I count on you as the straightest, truest friend I've got; and I want to keep on countin' on you just that way. Mayn't I?"

"Course you can, Keziah. But—"

"Then don't say another word, please."

"Keziah, when you set your foot down you're pretty stubborn; but I've



"Ahoy There, Elkanah!" Hailed Zeb-dee, cheerfully.

put through my catechism yet a while."

"No, you mustn't go. I want you to meet Mr. Ellery. You sit out on the wash bench by the back door till I get rid of whoever 'tis that's comin'. Scoot!"

Nat "scooted," stopping to snatch up his hat as he ran. Keziah went into the dining room and admitted Captain Zeb-dee Mayo, who was panting from the exertion of his walk.

"Whew!" puffed Captain Zeb, mopping his forehead. "How be you, Keziah? What? You ain't all alone! Thought you'd have a cabin full of gab machines by this time. Have they been and gone?"

"No, they haven't been. I— My land, my pie!"

She rushed into the kitchen and snatched the pastry from the oven. Her new caller followed her.

"So they ain't been, hey?" he said. "That's queer."

"Elkanah's here. He's in there with the minister now."

"He is? Givin' the young feller Hall Columby, I cal'late. Well, now, he shan't. He, he! When they told me how the minister passed old hop-and-go-fetch-it what was due him at the chapel last night I riz up and hoorayed tell my wife shut the windows. She said the neighbors all thought I was loony, anyhow, and I needn't prove it to 'em. He, he! But Elkanah ain't got any funny bone. He's as solemn as a stuffed owl, and he'll— Well, I'm goin' to put my oar in. I'm parish committee, too, I cal'late, and I've got somethin' to say, even if I wa'n't christened Daniels. Here goes!"

He headed for the study, but before he crossed the threshold of the kitchen Ellery and his visitor came out into the dining room. Captain Elkanah's face was flushed, and he fidgeted. The minister looked determined but calm.

"Ahoy there, Elkanah!" hailed Zeb-dee cheerfully. "Mornin', Mr. Ellery. Been havin' officers' counsel, have you?"

"Good mornin', Captain Mayo," said the minister.

"Mornin', Zeb-dee," grunted Elkanah. "I have—hum—ha—been discussing the regrettable affair of last night with Mr. Ellery. I have tried—hum—ha! to show him that respectable people of our society don't associate with Come-Outers, and that for a Regular minister to go to their meetings is something neither the congregation nor the parish committee approves of. No—er—hum—ha! no!"

"And I explained to Captain Daniels," observed the minister, "that I went there for what seemed to me good reasons, and, as they did seem to me good at the time, I'm not ashamed of having gone. It was an honest mistake on my part and I may make more."

"But the society—" began Elkanah. Captain Zeb interrupted him.

"Don't worry about the society, Mr. Ellery," he said with emphasis. "Nor about the parish committee, either. Great fishhooks! the most of us are tickled to death over what you said to Eben Hammond. We think it's a

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mighty good joke. You didn't know, of course, and what you did was done innocent. He! he! he! Did you lay him out, hey?"

"I think you'll find a good many of the society feel as I do, shocked and—hum—ha!—sorry. I'm surprised they haven't been here to say so."

"I expected them," remarked the minister.

"So did I," chimed in Captain Zeb. "But I cal'late to know why they ain't been. They're all too busy crowin' over the way Nat Hammond fetched the packet home last night. You ain't heard, Keziah, have you? Nor you, Mr. Ellery? Well, I must tell you. Here's where I gain a lap on Dildama Rogers. Seems the Deborah S.—that's the packet's name, Mr. Ellery—she hauled out of Boston night after last on the ebb, with a fair wind and sky clear as a bell. But they hadn't much more'n got outside of Minot's fore the fog shut down, thicker'n gruel for a sick man. The wind held till 'long toward mornin'; then she flattened to a dead calm. 'Bije Perry, the mate, he spun the yarn to me, and he said 'twas thick and flat as ever he see and kept gettin' no better fast."

"They drifted along till noon time and then they was somewheres out in the bay, but that's about all you could say. Zach, he was stewin' and sputterin' like a pair of fried eels, and Lafayette Gage and Emulous Peters—they're Denboro folks, Mr. Ellery, and about sixteen pints 'tother side of no account—they was the only passengers aboard except Nat Hammond, and they put in their time playin' high low jack in the cabin. The lookout was for'ard tootin' a tin horn and his bellerin' was the most excitin' thing goin' on. After dinner—corned beef and cabbage—trust Zach for that, though it's next door to cannibalism to put cabbage in his mouth—after dinner all hands was on deck when Nat says: 'Hush!' he says. 'Don't I hear somethin'?"

"They listened, and then they all heard it—all 'cept Zach, who's deaf in his larboard ear."

"Stand by!" roars Nat. "It's a squall, dead, stern and comin' abillin'! I'll take her, 'Bije. You look out for them tons'ls."

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